## RESOLUTION NO. 731

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley a lifetime resident of Washington State was born in 1946 in Tacoma, Washington, and along with her husband James F. Shepard has resided in Walla Walla, Washington since 1977; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley graduated from the University of Puget Sound with a Bachelor of Arts in 1968, and received a Master of Library Science from the University of Washington in 1970, and a Bachelor of Fine Arts from Pacific Northwest College of Art in 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, Anne E. Haley currently serves as the Chairman of the Board of Directors for Brown & Haley in Tacoma, Washington; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley has extensive experience leading libraries across our state, serving as the Director of the Yakima Valley Regional Library 1997-2002 and Walla Walla Public Library 1977-1997. She also served as the Extension Services Coordinator for Fort Vancouver Regional Library 1973-1977 located in Vancouver, Washington, and served as a Librarian for the Pierce County Library 1970-1973 located in Tacoma, Washington; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley has contributed many years of service and provided valuable knowledge to several regional, national and international bodies including serving as Chairman of the Walla Walla Area Network Governing Board, serving as president of the Washington Library Association and the Pacific Northwest Library Association, and serving as chairman of the International Relations Committee for the American Library Association. She served as Head of the American Delegation to UNESCO section meeting on libraries, museums & archives in Paris, France and served as a Delegate for the International Federation of Library Associations, Moscow, USSR; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley has committed many hours to community organizations such as the Walla Walla Rotary Club, the Walla Walla Sherwood Trust, and the Walla Walla Carnegie Art Center Advisory Committee. She also served as President of the United Way of Walla Walla County, served as Chairman of the annual United Way Campaign of Walla Walla, and is the founding President of Project Read of Walla Walla; and

**WHEREAS**, Anne E. Haley was appointed as a member of the Washington State Transportation Commission by Governor Gregoire in 2011 and served as Chairman from 2014-2016; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley has been a strong leader and active member of the Commission, serving as the lead Commissioner on the tolling subcommittee, the public opinion survey subcommittee, and the road usage charge subcommittee; and

WHEREAS, Anne E. Haley is retiring from the Washington State Transportation Commission on December 31, 2016. Her vision, courage, compassion, and leadership on challenging transportation issues will be sorely missed by all and her contributions to the State of Washington will forever be remembered and honored.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,** that the Washington State Transportation Commission recognizes and deeply appreciates the outstanding and endless contribution of Anne E. Haley to the State of Washington and its transportation system, and wishes her well in her future endeavors.

ADOPTED this 13th day of December 2016.

JERRY LOTT, Chairman

ROY JENNINGS, Vice-Chairman

JOE TORTORELLI, Member

HESTER SEREBRIN, Member

DEBORAH YOUNG, Member

AFTEST:

APPROVED AS TO FORM:

Assistant Attorney General